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TEN FROM HIGH SCHOOL

The Baccalaureate Sermon Sunday Night at M. E. Church

Commencement week for the Laclede schools opens with the baccalaureate sermon to the senior class at the Methodist church next Sunday evening, May 15, at 8 o'clock to be given by Rev. E. L. Robison of Brookfield.

This will be followed by the class address to be delivered by Dr. James Smith from the Des Moines Lyceum Bureau, at the opera house on Thursday evening, May 19, to begin at 8 o'clock.

In the senior class are Zoe Fannie Stutsman, Lena Myrle Kranz, Beulah Berry, Roberta Margaret Havens, Lulu Elizabeth Hanson, George Allen Syms, Locel Arden Bailey, Russell James Welsh, Arthur Rolla Wade, Esther Marie Mergenthal.

The grade school program and Eighth Grade graduating exercises will be held at the school auditorium on Friday, May 20, at 10:00 o'clock.

The graduates are Alpheus L. Chapman, Eileen Leona Kranz, James R. Hamilton, Russell Odell Marr, Archie Clifford Haley, Grace Mildred Simmons, Eloisa Grace Adams, Immogene Osgood, Lois Jeanette Baskin, Byron Aubrey Power, Eugene Lyle Savage, Jean K. Edwards.

Following is the program:

Part I.

Welcome.....Lois Tracy
Song, "Vacation Song".....School
Recitation, "At Uncle Jerry's".....Paul Cotter

Fairy Play.....Primary
Reading.....Richard Lomax
Play, "The Dollie's Graduation".....Third and Fourth
Grades.

Reading, "Kate's Agent".....Miriam Libby
Play, "The Spicerville School Picnic".....5th and 6th Grades
Song,

Instrumental solo, Frances Sayles

Part II

Class Colors.....Lois Baskin
.....and Immogene Osgood
Class Flowers, Eileen Kranz
.....and Grace Simmons.

Class Motto.....Clifford Haley
Class Poem.....Grace Adams
Reading.....Russell Marr

Class Grumbler.....Byron Power
Class Prophecy.....Lyle Savage
Class Scrapbag.....Jean Edwards
Class Will.....Harold Clinefelter
Class Voyage.....Alpha Chapman
Class Picture.....Grace Simmons

Farewell Address,.....James Hamilton.

Class Song.....Eighth Grade.
County Superintendent Hortenstine has accepted an invitation to be present, will give an address and deliver the Eighth Grade diplomas.

A basket dinner, under direction of the Parent-Teacher Association, will be held on the school grounds immediately after the exercises. All patrons and friends of the school are invited to attend and participate. Bring your baskets, and enjoy a visit with your neighbors and help spread the community and school spirit.

Peter Schuttler Wagons and steel wheel trucks. Linneus Lumber Co.

Local and Personal

Two year old male Durham for sale by T. L. Humphres, Boomer.

For Sale—Morse soy beans, \$4.00 per bushel. Fred Miller, Sumner, Mo.

W. J. Moffitt returned home Saturday from spending six months in Arizona.

Sixty dollar and sixty-five dollar corn planters at the Linneus Lumber Company.

Have you seen the cultivator at the Linneus Lumber Co., with the hill side adjustment?

For Sale—Boone County White seed corn at \$1.25 per bushel. Roy Lambert, Laclede.

For Sale—Male collie pup, also a 4 year old Jersey cow and a gang plow. Vahl Clawson, Laclede.

Good seed corn for sale at \$1.50 per bushel. Wm. Swetnam, route 2, Laclede, phone 222E, Linneus.

No. 1 Kreso Dip in the bulk at the Rexall Drug Store. Bring your own container. The price is right.

The cows are on the grass and our Primrose cream separator will handle the increased flow of milk. Linneus Lumber Co.

Two Grand Detour cultivators left over from last season will be closed out at a reduced price. See me for a bargain. F. R. Power.

Adolph Brendahl, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Brookfield hospital Wednesday, is reported to be getting along satisfactory.

Now is the time to lay in your supply of coal for next winter. See the Laclede Cooperative Co. at once. Several cars of Illinois coal due within the next few weeks.

We have on our sample floor two disc harrows we would like to move at once to make room and to anyone wanting same we will sell and give one year time without interest. Linneus Lumber Co.

Ira Frakes and Ross Loudon were here from Forker Wednesday holding a meeting of the township board to act on some road matters. E. W. Bagwell, overseer in the two southern districts, also attended the meeting.

A. B. Henderson was at Linneus Monday taking the initiatory steps toward organizing a Chester White pig club in the county. Mr. Henderson has a fine herd of white hogs at White Lawn Farms southwest of town.

Z. R. Kling, dealer in Delco products in his advertisement in The Blade today, announces a reduction in the price of Delco-Light plants. There is no greater convenience than electricity in the home and these systems make it possible to have this great necessity on the farm as well as in the city or town home.

Feed Mill

I have opened a feed mill in the Sisson mill building in the north part of Laclede and am prepared to do all kinds of grinding and make mixed chicken and stock feed. Will have all kinds of feed on hand to make quick exchange for your grain. I solicit your patronage.

E. T. Jones.

ON LOCAL SUBJECTS

Local Items and Interesting Bits of News of All Sorts

The remains of Bill Hardy were brought here from Chillicothe and given burial in the Laclede cemetery, Wednesday. The Hardy family formerly lived here, removing to Chillicothe thirty years ago. Deceased was a brother of Mrs. J. M. Herring of route three and a brother-in-law of Joseph Albin. He was 65 years old, and leaves a widow and four children, the latter all grown and married.

The lecture by Major Hairs last Sunday on the social problems of this state, delivered at the union meeting at the Methodist church, was well received by an appreciative and fairly large audience. Many points of interest to our community were brought out from an entirely new angle and in a most interesting manner by the speaker, the audience showing its approval by rapt attention.

Mr. G. A. Caldwell and Miss Rena Ausmus were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Ausmus, on Sunday, May 1, and slipped out of town that afternoon on their wedding trip to Denver and Salt Lake City. Rev. Ralph Craig performed the ceremony, the only witnesses present being the immediate relatives of the bride. They will reside in Laclede, Mr. Caldwell being section foreman here for Burlington. Friends extend best wishes for a long and happy married life.

In The Blade today is published two ordinances passed at the May meeting of the city council creating two oiling districts and providing for the oiling of the streets in said districts twice each year with road oil. As we understand it it is not the intention of the board to force the oiling onto those who are opposed to it. If a majority of the resident property owners in either district present a properly drawn remonstrance to the board the oiling will not be done, otherwise the work will be done just as soon as the streets can be got in condition for the oil.

Charles Clark, the colored restaurateur, suddenly passed away while sitting in a chair at his place of business near the railroad station about 5:00 o'clock last Sunday morning. For some time he had been troubled with choking spells, especially during the nights, and on that account had done most of his sleeping sitting in a chair, but was able to put in long hours at his eating house. Charley came here from Linneus about 35 years ago and for fifteen years conducted a barber shop and for the past twenty had conducted the eating place where he died. His place has become famous in this part of the state for the fried chicken he served. He was 86 years of age and leaves a widow but no children. The funeral was held Tuesday at the colored Baptist church and interment made in the Laclede cemetery by Director Thurman.

Stock Shipments

Manager Patterson was on the St. Joseph market Tuesday with a mixed car of cattle and hogs for the following members of the association: Orbid Burnett, T. E. Sisson, Wm. Tharp, D. G. Dent, W. J. Swetnam, Wm. Matthes, R. J. Ridings, Walter Stockwell, Harry Welsh, Walter Andrews, Floyd Welsh, Frank Day, L. T. Ringland, T. M. Bresnehen, H. H. Hoyer, R. L. Balcom, Chas. Hise, H. C. McCoy, Wm. Ehrich, J. H. Peer, S. L. McGarraugh, G. W. Syms, J. P. Harter, T. A. Shomaker, J. L. Ritchey and Les Brewer.

E. W. Frakes shipped a car of fat cattle from his farm near Forker to the St. Louis market Saturday night.

Mass Meeting Called

A mass meeting of the citizens of Laclede and the adjacent territory has been called to be held at the city hall at 7:30, Friday evening, May 13, for the purpose of organizing a community club.

Such an organization is badly needed to look after road matters and other things of a public nature. Everybody urged to attend, especially the ladies.

Two Shows a Week

Beginning next week Laclede will have two picture shows a week—Wednesday and Saturday nights. Next Wednesday night, May 18, will be Dorothy Dalton in "Black is White." Admission will be 5 and 20 cents. The following Wednesday night, May 25, will be "Shepherd of the Hills," by Harold Bell Wright. On Wednesday night, June 1, a 15 episode serial will start and there will be a good two reel comedy each night. Show starts promptly at 8:00 o'clock.

School Tuition Due

The Laclede schools close next week and tuition for the term is now due from all nonresident pupils who have not yet paid. You are requested to attend to this at once as the money is needed to meet the monthly payroll. Please attend to this before the last day of school so we may close up all matters and have no unpaid bills.

Lee Hamilton, President.
A. J. Caywood, Secretary.

Building For Sale

The frame office building just north of the Cooperative store is for sale. Two rooms and a big shed room. See the manager of the Cooperative Store.

Attention, Boys and Girls

T-whit, T-whit, T-wheel.
Just come and see.
Just come and see.
This is what birds sing around White Lawn Farms for there are 117 of the fattest, whitest, rolypolyest Chester White pigs here you ever saw.

Boys! girls!
Do you want to join the Chester White pig club and take your choice of these fellows home with you?

The club will start about June first. Pigs will be shown at Brookfield fair and prizes awarded.

Get in line.
Ask "Dad" if you can! Then call or write County Agent Hall at Linneus or A. B. Henderson, Laclede, for full particulars.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go During the Week

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Barbee visited old friends at Purdin on Thursday of last week.

C. E. Yates of Los Angeles, Calif., is here visiting his sister, Mrs. E. F. Brenner and family.

Mrs. A. V. Moore returned Saturday from a visit with her son, Ellis and wife at Memphis.

Mrs. Lou Darrow, after spending the winter here with relatives, left Tuesday for her home in Canada.

Mrs. Ida Davis, special deputy, went to Norborne Monday in the interest of the Royal Neighbor society.

International Harvester Co. gas engines, 14hp to the 10-20 Titan tractor at the Linneus Lumber Company.

Mrs. Ida Piggott and her mother Mrs. Mowrey were at Linneus Monday on business in the probate court.

Mrs. C. H. Parker is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Anderson and Mr. Anderson in the country.

Take your poultry, cream and eggs and buy your feed at the farmers' store. The Laclede Cooperative Company.

Judge O. F. Libby, J. H. Brown and H. W. Lomax were at Linneus Monday on business in the probate court.

Mrs. C. C. Bigger and Mrs. A. J. Caywood were at Brookfield Friday afternoon to attend the Mrs. Hartsock funeral.

Mrs. Lee Love of Brookfield and her daughter, Mrs. M. S. Andros and the latter's son, of Osborn, visited Laclede relatives Wednesday, guests at the home of Mrs. J. L. Ong.

E. E. Benson came up from his home at Alamogordo, New Mexico, Sunday and is in charge of the Benson Bank, Cashier M. P. Benson being confined to his home by sickness.

Mrs. Flo Shell will begin her classes in voice and piano immediately after the close of the public school and invites those who would enroll to see her or call phone 191 at once.

Mrs. Ida Davis leaves today for Cincinnati, Ohio, to attend the national convention of the Royal Neighbors of America as a member of the Missouri delegation. The Missouri delegates meet in St. Louis and go to Cincinnati on a special train.

Mrs. W. E. Shell will be hostess to the W. C. T. U. next Tuesday, May 17, at 2:30. Mrs. F. W. Burke, leader. Theme—"Motherhood, the noblest vocation in life." Slogan—"For God and Home and Every Land." Mrs. Clifford Shell will sing, "That Wonderful Mother of Mine." Mrs. Lee Landree will review the book, "Mother," by Kathleen Norris. Visitors welcome.

Flour and Feed

We have a car of flour and feed that should be on track here not later than Monday. Special prices at the car. Laclede Cooperative Company.